

Public Hearing: June 26, 2006

## **F A C T   S H E E T**

**TITLE:** Ordering construction of sidewalks.

**SPONSOR:** Public Works & Utilities  
Department

**OTHER DEPARTMENTS AFFECTED:**

**OPPONENTS:** Unknown

Parks & Recreation Department

**STAFF RECOMMENDATION:** For

**APPLICANT:** Public Works & Utilities

**REASON FOR LEGISLATION:** To provide the authority to order the construction of sidewalks at various locations where sidewalk does not currently exist.

## **D I S C U S S I O N**

The Public Works and Utilities Department has drafted a resolution ordering construction of sidewalks at various locations throughout Lincoln. Section 14.80.070 of the Lincoln Municipal Code provides that the City Council may order construction of sidewalk and notice will be served to the property owner notifying them of their obligation to complete the sidewalk as ordered. The property owners will be allowed 120 days to complete the work before the Public Works and Utilities Department initiates a Sidewalk District, which will allow completion of the sidewalk with the costs assessed against the adjacent property.

The locations included with the proposed resolution were identified as a result of calls received by the City, or locations where development has created the need for sidewalk completion.

**POLICY OR PROGRAM CHANGE:** No

**COST OF TOTAL PROJECT:** Estimated cost for completion of sidewalks, \$400,000.00

**SOURCE OF FUNDS:**

**CITY:** \$90,000.00

**NON CITY:**

**BENEFIT COST:**

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